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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0013] with the following amended paragraph:

While it is disclosed that first storage device 108 and second storage device 110 may be a local server and central server respectively, it should be understood by those with ordinary skill in the art that other types of devices may be utilized without departing from the scope and spirit of the present invention. For example, first storage device 108 and second storage device 110 may be in the form of an information appliance, personal computer, mass storage, and the like, which provides copied data in the first storage device 108 to more than one client, in respective embodiments of the present invention.

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